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Poetical.

Sunshine and Shadow.

BY BAYES.

Two children played on the kitchen floor,
They laughed and they crowed in their childish glee,
The sunshine came through the open door,
Its bright beams dancing merrily.
The children caught at the shining stream,
As though they had found a golden toy,
Enough for them that the passing beam,
Had filled their little hearts with joy.

The mother watched them in their play,
A prayer rose up in her loving heart,
"Oh! far, far off may be the day,
When with my children I must part."
Alas! how little do we know,
Of joy or sorrow yet to come,
The sunbeams come and quickly go,
And leave but shadows on our home.

On Jenny first the shadow fell,
They bore her from her home away,
The little mound is left to tell,
Her feet among the shadows stay.
A year of mingled light and shade
Around the mother's heart is thrown,
A sunbeam was the child that staid,
A shadow for the one that's gone.

The light to darkness still gave place,
For dark, more dark the shadows grew,
Envolving in their cold embrace,
The form of little Perry too.
They laid him by his sister's side,
Where golden sunbeams never come,
With tears, 'twould be a sin to hide,
Returned to find a childless home.

And yet through all this gloom there breaks,
A light that gives the heart its rest,
Bless Him who gives, bless Him who takes,
As in His wisdom seemeth best.
"Let little children come to me,"
"I'll bear them to my blessed home,
From every sin and sorrow free,
Where blasting shadows never come."

'Tis here at last we find the light,
True sunshine beaming on the soul,
"By faith we live" and not by sight,
And hope to reach the blissful goal.
The sun will there forever shine,
No clouds, and hence, no shadows fall,
Thine be the Power, the glory thine,
And thou our God be all in all.

Miscellaneous.

TESTIMONY AT THE RIGHT TIME.

The case pending before our Court intrested the people deeply. A few months before Jacob Ames had died, leaving property to the amount of fifty or sixty thousand dollars, all of which was readily available. At first it was supposed that the old man—he was eighty-seven—had died without having made will, as he had often been heard to remark that making a will seemed like a preparation for death, and as there could be no question about the inheritance of his property, he did not choose to make any such, to him, ghostly testament. His direct and only legitimate heirs were two orphans, both girls, children of his only daughter. One of them was a cripple, requiring almost the undivided care and attention of the other, and both were beloved by all who knew them. While people were feeling glad that the orphan sisters were to be thus grandly provided for, a man named James Arnold presented a will for probate, said to be the Last Will and Testament of Jacob Ames, made several years before. This Arnold was a nephew-in-law of old Jacob, the child of his wife's sister, and had for several years been employed as business agent and general accountant of the deceased; and when he caused the will to be presented, he produced a number of witnesses who declared that they had often heard old Ames say that he had made the only will he should make, and that James Arnold was his heir; and, what seemed to make the matter sure, two witnesses to the will, former servants or employees of the testator, swore point blank to having seen Ames place his signature to the document after which they signed their own names. Honest people shook their heads at this, for these two witnesses—a man and his wife—were not above suspicion. In fact, it was generally believed that a small sum of ready money would buy them body and soul.

I entered the court-room late in the afternoon of the third day, just as the last witness was about to leave the witness stand; and this witness was Thomas Cloudman, the servant just alluded to. He had been questioned by a juryman, and had made a plain statement. Everything was against the poor, deserving orphans, and all in favor of the despised nephew. In fact, no honest man, under the evidence, could have brought in a verdict against Arnold's claim.

The juryman who had questioned this witness sat at the end of the box; and close to him, among the spectators, stood old Harvy Goodrich, who was at that time engaged in the paper mill of Day & Lyon, at Portland. I had known him years before, when he worked for Rice, of Newport. The juror held the will in his hand, open, and Goodrich cast his eye upon it. I saw the old paper-maker start and tremble.

"Let me look at that!" I heard him whisper, for I stood close by.

The juror, without considering, handed him the document; and before the counsel could interpose and regain it Goodrich had seen all he desired, and his first movement, after relinquishing the will, was to hasten to the side of the orphan's attorney, and whisper, hurriedly and excitedly, in his ear. I saw the attorney, whose name was Shipman, bend his head attentively, and then start to his feet. What was it? In those few brief moments the whole audience had caught the fever of excitement, for it was clearly evident that something of importance was on the tapis.

"May it please your honor," said Shipman, very quietly—so calmly and quietly that we feared it could be nothing of importance after all—"I must ask the indulgence of the court. I wish to present new and important testimony."

There was a slight war of words between the opposing counsel, after which, by permission of the court, the old paper maker took the witness-box. He gave his name, residence, occupation, etc.; and then Mr. Shipman placed the will in his hands.

"Mr. Goodrich, will you please examine that document?"

"I have done so, sir."

"What is the written date of that will?"

"September fifth, eighteen hundred and forty-one," answered the witness, reading from the instrument.

"Now, Mr. Goodrich, will you please in form the jury, and the court, if you observe anything else, in or upon that paper which you hold in your hand, that would positively affect the reliability of that written date? Make your own statement, in your own way, only make it concise and clear."

"Your honor, and gentlemen of the jury," commenced the witness, "this piece of paper which I now hold in my hand was manufactured by myself and calendered upon a machine of my own invention. The water lines, in place of the ordinary blue ruling, was included in my improvement. You will also observe, upon close inspection—though the ink upon the surface has somewhat obscured it—my own stamp in water marks. Your honor can examine it for yourself."

The Judge took the document, and held it up against the strong light; and involuntary he read aloud, so as to be heard by all in the room—for every breath was hushed—"H. Goodrich's Patent. Eighteen Hundred and Forty-Three!"

"Yes, your Honor," broke in Goodrich, whose professional integrity was now in the balance. "I can solemnly swear that that sheet of paper was not made until at least two years after the date of the instrument which has been written upon its face."

The paper was given to the jury, who were all upon their feet. Arnold's counsel demanded to see it. Mr. Cloudman and his wife got up, and tried to leave the room, but were prevented. Judge and bar were in a state of ferment; while the dense audience swayed to and fro in eager, painful suspense. Would this old man's testimony have its legitimate weight?

Ah! how could it be otherwise? There was a witness more potent to an intelligent court and jury than speech of tongue. The contested will bore in its innermost heart—in its "heart of hearts"—the emphatic evidence of the base lie upon its written face. Other witnesses were called—one paper maker and two paper dealers—but the thing was settled. The water lined date of the paper was evidence enough. A little while and the Judge gave his charge—about as brief a charge as I ever heard. A little longer, and we knew that the orphans were the true and legally established heirs to Jacob Ames' fortune. I will not attempt to describe the scene that followed. Suffice it for me to say, that the perjured parties were severely punished, while the sun of joy and kindness cast its gracious beams upon the beloved and deserving sisters.

The Wrong Vote.

Apropos of elections, the following is capital; and will be especially relished by gentlemen who have been unsuccessful in their aspirations for office:

In one of the towns of Pennsylvania, the freemen had for many years deposited their votes solidly for the Democratic candidates. Such a thing as a Whig or Republican ticket had never been run. At that time, however, the politicians of an adjacent township thought it an opportune occasion to attempt the establishment, in that town, of a Republican organization. To this end, they persuaded a certain Mr. Green, who had recently settled there to become their candidate for some minor office, hoping to procure for him a few votes under the popularity of the great name of Grant, and thus to get an entering wedge in the local affairs of the township.

The day of election arrived, but Mr. G. was unable to get to the polls by reason of sickness. In due time the returns were published, and Mr. Green had just one vote. Chagrined at this, and annoyed by the accusation that he had voted for himself, he said if any one would make affidavit to the vote he would reward him with a good suit of clothes. A few mornings afterward a burly looking Pennsylvania Dutchman called upon Mr. Green and abruptly remarked: "I vants dat suit of close."

"Ah!" said Mr. G., "then you are the person who voted for me?"

"Yah, I'm dat man."

"Are you willing to make an affidavit of it?"

"Yah, I swear to 'em."

Mr. Green, accompanied by the intelligent voter, went to the office of the justice of the peace, and the required affidavit was made; after which the clothes were purchased and given to the deponent.

So delighted was Mr. Green to be relieved from the unpleasantness of his situation, and so glad to learn that there was another righteous man in the township, that he had taken the Dutchman's Republicanism as a matter of course. However, at parting he said: "Now, my friend you have your suit of clothes, just answer me one question—How came you to vote for me?"

"You vants to know dat?"

"Yes."

"And you von't go back on the close?"

"No."

"Vell," said he, slowly, and with a sly twinkle of the eye, "den I tole you; *I makes a mistake in de ticket!*"

A SAN FRANCISCO incident: "A venerable-looking organ-grinder, accompanied by an active little monkey, dressed in red, was patiently turning out his dilapidated melodies for the benefit of a couple of servant girls, when he was suddenly surrounded by a group of school children, boys and girls, who at once became devoted to the monkey. The latter, seeing an apple in the hands of one of the boys, suddenly ceased his gambols, and, snatching the fruit, ran nimbly up a tree just by. The boy cried, and his companions laughed, while the Italian alternately swore at and coaxed the chattering chief, but in vain, until at last the monkey, of his own accord, came swiftly down, and springing in front of a pretty little girl with long curls, deftly took off his jaunty cap, and bowing politely, handed her the apple.

Anecdotes of Sir Walter Scott.

No pleasanter anecdotes have been told of any man. These are generally well known, but I will trust that the following may be new to my readers: Mrs. John Ballantyne was just married. She was young, the beauty of Edinburgh, and half spoiled by flattery. She was to meet Sir Walter at dinner, and resolved to put on airs, and show the great lion of the time that she was not to be brought to fawn even at his feet. He asked her to take a glass of wine, and she affected not to hear him; but the great man instead of noticing this girlish folly, proceeded to talk to her with such politeness that she speedily felt ashamed of herself. This lady related that once, at her own table, on the occasion of a large and ceremonious dinner party, there was a scarcity of spoons, and, what added to the awkwardness, at the precise moment when the servant was washing the spoons for further use a most determined pause in conversation ensued. The silence was so profound that no sound was to be heard save the whispers of the servants just without, and the washing of the spoons. At last the blushing lady's husband drank, "Relief to all in distress," which broke the spell, and set all laughing, while Mr. James Ballantyne called out, with a line of Shakespeare:

"My lord, my lord, methinks you'd spare your spoons!"

"Not I, indeed, my lord," responded Mrs. B., "for I have none to spare." "Not amiss," said Sir Walter, in genial recognition of the lady's hit. Next day a parcel came to her, directed in an unmistakable handwriting, containing a dozen of the handsomest spoons that could be found in Edinburgh. This same old lady relates a story which deserves to be told as one of the most singular among the curiosities of literature. She relates that once when her brother-in-law, James, was reading to her, Scott entered, and told him to go on reading. As the reader proceeded, Scott at first nodded approbation, then said "Good!" next "Very good!" "Charming!" "Powerful!" until at last the upper lip began to tremble, and the tears to fall. Taking his staff, he strode across the room and looked over Mr. Ballantyne's shoulder to see what the volume was. It was the "Lay of the Last Minstrel." He was quite in discomfiture, dashing the tears indignantly from his eyes, uttered an impatient "Pshaw!" and said, "God help me, James; I am losing my memory."—*M. D. Conway, in Harper's Magazine.*

How He Rules His Wife.

A man named Traddles, in Virginia, has got his wife in proper subjection, and means to keep her so. "Oh!" says he, in telling about it, "there ain't many who know how to rule a wife properly. Now, my old woman is one of the best natured women in the world, but she's got a devil of a temper. Whenever I see she's got her mad up, if it's a dozen times a day, I just quietly say nothing," but kinder humor her and she comes round all right after a while. Even when she throws things at me, or gives a wild slash for me with the broom or rollin' pin, I just dodge a little, and she never hits me the third time before I get my eye on her and let her know I disapprove of such action on her part. Perhaps I have to leave the house to show her this, but she sees the point. Then, by being careful not to irritate her, and letting her have her own way, I manage to make her do just as I please. And you bet I make her understand and appreciate my discipline. Oh! I keep her under perfect control. A man has to, you know. Got to boss in your own house, or first thing you know your wife will ride you down like you wasn't nobody. My wife's a perfect angel in her natural disposition, but any other man but me would spoil her.

A Boss Stable.

The Hon. Benjamin Tappan, once a Senator from Ohio, was on the bench when the Buckeye State was admitted into the Union. He was famous in his time for being very ugly, very talented, and very cross-eyed, crabbed, and sarcastic. On one occasion he was holding court in the wilderness, where one log cabin had to be used for court house, tavern and bar room. The stable near by was used pro tem. for jail. The Judge had just given some malefactors a very severe sentence, when a rough backwoodsman who had been practicing at the other bar, exclaimed:

"That's right; give 'em thunder, old gimlet eyes."

"Who is that?" screamed the irate and indignant Judge.

"It's this old hoss," answered the pioneer, giving his breast an approving slap.

"Mr. Sheriff," retorted Tappan, "put that old hoss in the stable, and keep him a week on bread and water."

A BASHFUL youth was paying addresses to a gay lass of the country, who had long despaired of bringing things to a crisis. He came one day when she was alone, and after settling the merits of the weather, the girl said, looking shyly into his face: "I dreamed of you last night."

"Did you, why—now!"

"Yes, I dreamed that you kissed me."

"Why, now! what did you dream your mother said?"

"Oh, I dreamed she was not at home."

A light dawned on the youth's intellect, a singular sound broke the stillness, and in less than a month they were married.

NEW YORK has him now—the one hundred-and-thirteen-years old man who voted for all the Presidents, saws wood, was the groom of Washington, body-servant of Jackson, coachman of Jefferson and barber to Franklin. He walks twenty-two miles every morning before breakfast, has used liquor and tobacco for 85 years, and never was sick a day in his life. His teeth are in the highest state of preservation, he can read agate type by moonlight, and can hear the lowest whisper at a distance of several miles, etc., etc.

Webster and Branch.

While John Branch, of North Carolina, was General Jackson's Secretary of the Navy, he, Tazewell, and Daniel Webster were walking on the north bank of the Potomac, at Washington. Tazewell, willing to amuse himself at Branch's simplicity, said, "Branch, I'll bet you a ten-dollar hat that I can prove that you are on the other side of the river." "Done," said Branch." Well," said Tazewell, pointing to the opposite shore, "isn't that one side of the river?"—"Yes." "Well, isn't this the other side?"—"Yes." "Then, as you are here, are you not on the other side?"—"Why, I declare," said poor Branch, "so it is! But here comes Webster. I'll win back my hat from him." Webster now came up, and Branch accosted him: "Webster, I'll bet you a ten-dollar hat that I can prove that you are on the other side of the river."—"Done."—"Well, isn't this one side?"—"Yes." "Well, isn't that the other?"—"Yes, but I am not on that side." Branch hung his head, and submitted to the loss of the two hats as quietly as he could.

HENRY CLAY never liked to see dumb animals abused or worried. When he was at Washington, a very large, somewhat noted billy goat roamed the streets, and the news-paper boys, boot-blacks, and street-imps generally made common cause against him. On one occasion, while the statesman was passing down the avenue, a large crowd of these mischievous urchins were at their usual sport. Mr. Clay, with his walking stick, drove them away, giving them a sound lecture in the meanwhile. As they scampered off in all directions, Billy seeing no one but Mr. Clay within reach, made a charge on him. Mr. Clay dropped his cane and caught his goatship by the horns. The goat would rear up, being nearly as high as the tall Kentuckian himself, and the latter would pull him down again. This sort of sport soon became tiresome, and he could conceive of no way by which he

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Friday, Feb. 23, 1872.

Democratic State Convention.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Democratic State Executive Committee this day adopted, a Democratic State Convention in numbers equal to the representation in both houses of the legislature, is hereby called to meet in Reading, Pa., on Thursday, May 30th, 1872, at 11 o'clock A. M., to nominate candidates for Governor, Judge of the Supreme Court, and (should the legislature so determine) for Auditor General and delegates at large to the Constitutional Convention, and also to form an electoral ticket and select senatorial and representative delegates to represent the state in the Democratic National Convention.

By order of the Executive Committee. WM. A. WALLACE, Attest, Chairman.
WM. M'CLELLAND, Sec'y.
HARRISBURG, February 15.

Constitutional Reform.

We believe this to be the most important measure before the present Legislature, yet singularly enough it seems to attract but little attention. The people by an almost unanimous vote demanded that a convention should be held yet an unsympathetic Legislature proposes first to make it a partisan body and secondly to delay its meeting as long as possible.

The House bill as reported by the committee provided for the election of 99 delegates; two from each Senatorial District and 33 at large; no elector to vote for more than 18. This proposition was amended by speaker Elliott so as to elect 133 members, as Senators and members are now elected.

Mr. White, of Allegheny proposes as a substitute for both bills, that the convention shall consist of 99 members, 66 of whom shall be elected from Senatorial Districts, each party to vote for one in each single district. The result would be that each party would be equally represented in each Senatorial District. The remaining 33 would be elected at large, no person to vote for more than 18. As a result the successful party in the State would only have three majority; enough for all practical purposes.

The Elliott bill not only gives a large Republican majority in the convention, but it enables pot house politicians and men of small calibre to secure seats in it. It would simply be a joint session of men of the same status as those who constitute our present Legislature,—here and there a good man, but not strong enough to control measures or stem corruption. We know in advance that a constitution framed by such men will be weak and will undoubtedly be repudiated by the people.

In Illinois the Constitutional Convention was successful because the minority had full representation, and that principle was embodied in their fundamental law. In New York the minority only had partial representation and a bungling constitution was the result. Singularly enough the only portion of it ratified was that which applied the principle of cumulative voting to the Judges of the Courts of Appeals and if it had not been for that principle the Republicans would not have had a single Judge for many years.

The Elliott bill also provides for the election of delegates at the October election—in the heat of a partisan conflict, and would result in securing politicians instead of statesmen, besides delaying the meeting of the convention until next year.

We had hoped for a spirit of fairness in this matter, but confess we see no prospect of getting fair play.

The McClure--Gray Contest.

The death of Senator Connell of the Fourth Philadelphia District made the Senate a tie politically, and the result of the special election to fill the vacancy was looked for ward to with much interest. As the Republicans had about 7,000 majority in the District it was evident that the choice was between a Reform Republican and a Ring Radical. The Democratic press and Democratic voters therefore, took sides with Col. McClure. The nomination of his opponent was accomplished by fraud, force and bribery; his alleged election was secured by the same means. A contest for the seat was inaugurated in the usual form, but at the threshold the contestant was met by the declaration of a Republican Committee, that although frauds might have been committed, ballot boxes stuffed, and voters driven from the polls, the act of 1839 regulating contested elections applied only to members elected previous to the organization of the Legislature, and therefore the contestant, whatever the merits of his case, had no right of appeal. From this position the Democrats dissented as being contrary to common sense, to the spirit and intention of the act of 1839, to precedent, to the Constitutional right of petition, and to the inherent right of each House to judge of the election and returns of its members.

And now the Republicans discover that the method of drawing a committee is defective, *and why? Because the chances, in drawing a committee to decide which of two Republicans shall occupy a seat in the Senate, are in favor of the Democrats.* For over thirty years the law has been on the statute book and no fault has been found with it by the opposition. It answered their purpose in the Bunn—Witham case, in that of Green vs. Short during the present session,—and in numerous other cases.

The Democrats deserve credit for refusing to pass a general law to meet a special case and if the opposition refuse to allow Col. McClure the right to prove that he was duly elected as Senator from the Fourth District, on their heads be the responsibility.

JOHN W. FORNEY has resigned the office of Collector of the Port of Philadelphia, because it interferes with his business, and his independence as a journalist. This last reason is good—in fact, the best thing we have heard lately. Forney's independence—well, well.

From the *Miners Journal* we learn that in 1871 there were 101 persons killed and 339 injured in the mines of Schuylkill county and 67 widows and 162 orphans made.

LEGISLATURE.

In the Senate, on Wednesday of last week, the speaker announced that he would issue his writ for a special election to fill the vacancy in the Fifth senatorial district, to be held on March 15, the day of the spring elections.

Among the bills introduced were the following:

By Mr. Buckalew, act abolishing the Northern district of the Supreme Court.

By Mr. Dechert, act extending the competency of persons to be witnesses in certain criminal cases, as follows:

An act to extend the competency of persons to be witnesses in certain criminal cases.

SECTION 1. *Be enacted, etc.*, That in the trial of any indictment, complaint or other proceeding against any persons or persons charged with the commission of crimes or offences, any persons so charged shall, at his or her own request, and not otherwise, be deemed a competent witness; the credit to be given to such testimony being left solely to the jury, under the instruction of the court: *Provided*, That this act shall not extend to the trial of any person or persons on an indictment charging a capital offence.

The remainder of the session was occupied in the discussion of the Gray-McClure case.

In the House a motion to adjourn from the 17th to the 27th of Feb. on account of the unhealthiness of Harrisburg was not agreed to.

A number of bills were introduced, including one.

By Mr. Gatchell, to regulate and classify borough and school taxes on real estate in boroughs.

By Mr. Rogers, of M'Kean, to regulate the sale of proprietary medicines and remedies made from any secret recipe or formula.

By Mr. Stock, relative to the investment of trust funds.

The senate bill relative to a change in the law governing contested elections came up on third reading. Before the final reading, a motion was made to adjourn, which was not agreed to, the democratic side voting for and the republican side against the motion.

The bill as amended finally passed on a call of the yeas and nays.

In the Senate on Thursday of last week after the introduction of a number of bills, the Gray-McClure case was taken up and discussed at length.

In the House, on motion of Mr. Meek one thousand copies of the military bill were ordered to be printed for the use of the house.

Senate bill No. 1, entitled a supplement to an act relative to changes of venue, was passed, as follows:

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted etc.*, That all the expenses incurred in the trial of any suits by the county to which they may be removed under the provisions of the act entitled an act relative to the change of venue, approved April twenty-eighth, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy, shall be paid by the county from which such suits have been removed.

CHARTERS OF INCORPORATION

Senate bill No. 36, entitled an act to enlarge the jurisdiction of the courts of common pleas of the commonwealth relative to granting charters of incorporation, was amended and passed.

House bill No. 110, entitled an act relative to appeals from the judgments of justices of the peace passed as follows;

SECTION 1. That before any appeal shall hereafter be taken from the judgment of a justice of the peace, the party appellant, his agent or attorney, shall make oath or affirmation before the justice that it is not for the purpose of delay such appeal is entered, but because he firmly believes injustice has been done, and that the justice shall enter said oath or affirmation upon his docket.

SEC. 2. That upon appeal from the judgment of a justice of the peace, the party appellant, his agent or attorney, shall pay all costs that may have accrued in such suit or action.

Provided, That whenever the appellant makes an affidavit that he is unable to pay the costs, he shall be allowed to appeal without paying costs: *Provided further*, That the provisions of this act shall not apply to the city of Philadelphia.

In the Senate on Friday last, the bill abolishing the Northern District of the supreme court was reported negatively. On motion of Mr. Buckalew the House was requested to return for further action the Senate bill extending the time for drawing a Committee in the Gray-McClure case.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Buckalew (Dem.) and White and Strang (Rep.) as committee to confer with the House Committee and adjust the difference between Senate and House on the McClure-Gray bills.

Nothing of interest was done in the House.

In the Senate on Monday, the following bills were introduced.

Mr. COLLINS, preventing the sale of deadly weapons in Luzerne county; also, compelling corporations to pay wages in lawful money, and preventing the keeping of corporation stores.

In the House the bill, calling a Convention to revise the Constitution, was considered and discussed.

Mr. WHITE moved to amend so as to elect delegates on the cumulative plan, so as to give minority representataion. Lost.

Among other amendments was one offered by Mr. GATCHELL, of Lancaster, allowing woman to be delegates to the Convention. Lost—31 yeas, to 38 nays. No definite action was taken.

In the Senate on Tuesday, Mr. Buckalew reported from the conference committee on the McClure-Gray contest, the fact that the committees of both Houses had compromised on his (Mr. Buckalew's) bill, sent the committee on Friday last. The report was unanimously adopted.

In the House, Mr. Hewitt chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, reported the General Appropriation bill, which was ordered to be immediately printed. [This is the earliest date at which this bill has been prepared for at least thirty years.]

A very large number of private bills were considered.

CONGRESS.

In the Senate on Wednesdy of last week, Mr. Sumner again brought forward his French fraud resolutions. The Grant Senators, headed by Sherman, of Ohio, were naturally delicate about any investigation, and endeavored to avoid it. Mr. Tipton, of Nebraska, reminded them that they had been anxious to avoid investigation on the New York Custom-House question. In the House several bills were passed for the erection of public buildings at various places. The Army Appropriation bill was reported, calling for $29,548,000.

In the Senate on Thursday of last week Mr. Brownlow proposed to make a personal explanation in reply to Mr. Beck's assertion in the House that Mr. Brownlow, while Governor of Tennessee, made that State a pandemonium. He was proceeding to abuse Mr. Beck in very unparliamentary phraseology when he was checked by the Vice-President. The Senate then resumed the debate on the resolution to inquire into the sales of arms to French agents during the Franco German war. Lengthy speeches were made by Mr. Harlan, Mr. Frelinghuysen, and Mr. Schurz, the last named giving his powerful aid to Mr. Sumner. The Senate adjourned without reaching a vote.

There was an exciting debate in the House in committee of the whole on the Naval Appropriation bill.

The Senate on Friday last after adopting a resolution to print 25,000 copies of the American "case" submitted before the Board of Arbitration at Geneva, took up Mr. Sumner's resolutions on the French frauds, and discussed them all day.

In the House, Mr. Beck, of Kentucky, obtained permission to defend himself against the attack of Senator Brownlow, and he took occasion not only to blacken that gentleman but to deliver a powerful invective against the other Governors of Southern States. He said they had put forward Brownlow to attack him because Brownlow was a cripple and an imbecile, but that Bullock and Reed and Scott were not cripples, and he was ready to back what he had said in the House or elsewhere. Notwithstanding many interruptions, he was listened to with marked attention by a crowded House and was warmly congratulated at the close of his speech.

In the Senate on Monday after some debate on the report of the Ku-Klux Committee, the debate was continued on Sumner's French frauds resolutions, adjourning without a vote on the subject.

In the House the bill repealing the duties on tea and coffee was passed by a vote of 153 yeas to 33 nays, an amendment putting salt and coal on the free list failing to get the required two-thirds vote.

The Way and Means Committee Monday decided to continue the payment of the income tax for 1871, and its collection will be proceeded with.

The House Committee on Civil Service have agreed to report a bill making it a penal offence for any Congressman to ask for civil appointments, and allowing them to make recommendations only when requested to do so in writing.

In the Senate on Tuesday, Senator Schurz delivered a magnificent oration before the largest audience assembled in the Senate Chamber for many a day. He abundantly demonstrated the complicity of the Grant administration in the sale of arms to the agents of France during the Franco-Prussian war, and denounced in scathing terms the unscrupulousness, selfishness, and corruption of which the United States, by their agency, had been made guilty. The speech was beyond comparison the most able and the most damaging to the administration that has been heard this session.

The debate in the House of Representatives was both interesting and amusing. Fernando Wood, criticising the Committee on the Reorganization of the Civil Service, made a telling speech on demoralization existing in public life national, State and municipal, predicting that the great watchword would soon be "universal purification and the elevation of the official standard."

NEWS

T. A. Millard was arrested at Louisville, by detectives, on Sunday night, and held for a requisition from Governor Geary. He is charged with uttering forged checks on the Third National and other banks of Philadelphia.

Hon. Thomas A. Scott has been elected President of the Texas Pacific railroad in place of Marshal O. Roberts, resigned.

In the Maine House of Representatives on Saturday, a bill was reported given women the right to vote at Presidential elections.

Buckhout, the Sleepy Hollow murderer, was executed at White Plains, N. Y., last Saturday.

The Kansas House in Committee of the Whole, has agreed to the Senate bill providing that nobody be hanged for murder until one year after conviction, and not then, unless the Governor issues the warrant for execution.

The blockade on the Pacific Railroad still continues. Until the wind moderates the efforts to clear the track are useless. The government has dispatched a food train to the relief of the blockaded. The railroad superintendent promises to do all he can, but he fears his inability to fight the snow while it is aided by the wind.

Patent Right Notes.

The following act recently passed the House. It will be found of interest to our readers:

AN ACT.

To regulate the execution and transfer of notes given for patent rights.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted &c.*, That whenever any promissory note or negotiable instrument shall be given, the consideration for which shall consist in whole or in part of the right to make, use or vend any patent inventions claimed to be patented, the words "given for a patent right" shall be prominently and legibly written or printed on the face of such note or instrument above the signature thereto, and such note or instrument in the hands of any purchaser or holder shall be subject to the same defences as in the hands of the original owner or holder. And any person who shall purchase or become the holder of any promissory note or other negotiable instrument, knowing the same to have been given for the consideration aforesaid, shall hold such note or other instrument subject to the same defences as in the hands of the original owner or holder although the words "given for a patent right" shall not be written or printed upon the face thereof.

SECTION 2. If any person shall take, purchase, sell or transfer any promissory note or other negotiable instrument not having the words "given for a patent right" written or printed legibly and prominently on the face of such note or instrument above the signature thereto, knowing the consideration of such note or instrument to consist in whole or in part of the right to make, use, or vend any patent invention or inventions claimed to be patented, every such person or persons shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding five hundred dollars or imprisoned in the county jail forty days or both, in the discretion of the court.

SECTION 3. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

New Advertisements.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
ESTATE OF SARAH WHITENIGHT, DEC'D.
Letters of administration on the estate of Sarah Whitenight, late of Mt. Pleasant twp., Columbia county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to C. W. Miller, of Bloomsburg. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned, administrator without delay.
C. W. MILLER, Administrator.
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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.
The undersigned appointed by the Court of Common Pleas, of Columbia County, Auditor to distribute to the parties entitled thereto the money in Court; proceeds arising from the Sheriff's sale of the property of Hannon & Farrell, will meet the parties interested for the purpose of his appointment at his office in Bloomsburg, on Friday, the 22d day of March, A. D. 1872 at 10 o'clock a. m. All persons having claims against said fund are required to present them or be forever debarred from coming in for a part or share of the same.
E. R. IKELER, Auditor,
feb?72-4w

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.
ESTATE OF SIMON COTNER, DEC'D.
The undersigned appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county Auditor in the estate of Simon Cotner, deceased, will meet the parties interested for the purpose of his appointment, at the office of John G. Freeze, in Bloomsburg, on Wednesday, March 20th, 1872, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day. All persons having claims on said estate, are required to attend or be forever debarred from coming in for a part of said fund.
JOHN M. CLARK, Auditor.
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
ESTATE OF THOMAS ROACH, DEC'D.
Letters of Administration on the estate of Thomas Roach, late of Roaring Creek twp., Columbia county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to Peter Swank, of Locust twp. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned administrator without delay.
PETER SWANK, Administrator.
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NOTICE.
All persons knowing themselves indebted to Isaiah Dieterich on Note or Book account will save costs by calling upon the subscriber, residing at Rupert, any time between this date and the 15th day of March, and those neglecting this notice will have costs added after that date.
JOHN G. GUILFORD, J. P.
Rupert, Feb. 21st, 1872. feb2?72-1m

NOTICE
Is hereby given to all persons, that my wife (Hannah Hess) has left my bed and board, without sufficient cause. I therefore hereby caution any and all persons not to trust her on my account, as I will not pay any debts of her contracting. JAMES SMITH.
Benton, Feb. 16, 1872. feb2?72-4w

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PUBLIC SALE
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VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.
In pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, the undersigned Administrator &c., of the estate of Wellington H. Ent, late of the town of Bloomsburg, in the said county, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises on

SATURDAY, MARCH 16TH, 1872,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described

HOUSE AND LOT OF GROUND,

situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, in said county, fronting on Second or Main street of said town, adjoining lot of John K. Grotz, on the West, Hodge Alley on the North and West and Alley on the East. Said lot be n about fifty-six feet in front on Second or Main street and two hundred and fourteen feet six inches in depth. Whereon is erected a large two story

BRICK DWELLING HOUSE,

with Brick Kitchen attached; a Two-Story Frame Dwelling House, a Frame Stable and wagon house, and other out buildings. This property is in a very desirable location for stores and offices.) And sold as late the estate of said deceased.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of one fourth of the purchase money shall be paid at the striking down of the property, the one-fourth, less the ten per cent. on the confirmation of sale, and the remaining three-fourths in one year thereafter, with interest from the confirmation nisi.

Possession given upon the purchaser securing the payment of the purchase money. Purchasers to pay for Deed and Stamps.
PETER ENT, Administrator.
Light Street, Feb. 21, 1872. feb2?-2-4w

PUBLIC SALE
OF
VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.
The undersigned Executor of the last will and testament of John Kile, jr., late of the township of Sugarloaf, in the county of Columbia, dec'd., will expose to public sale on the premises on

SATURDAY, MARCH 30TH, 1872,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described real estate, to wit:

First. A certain tract of land situate in Sugarloaf township, in said county, containing

138 ACRES MORE OR LESS,

adjoining lands of Andrew Lambach, J. W. Kile, Anderson Kile and George Dilts. About 90 acres of which is cleared land, and the balance in good timber. Whereon are

TWO GOOD DWELLING HOUSES,

a good Bank Barn and other outbuildings. A good fountain pump at the door of the dwelling house. A good spring house and never failing spring of water. There is on the premises a large and

GOOD APPLE ORCHARD.

Second. The undivided half of a tract of Timber Land in the warrantee name of Samuel Shepherd, situate in Jackson township, Columbia county, bounded on the northeast by a tract in the warrantee name of Wesley Hess, on the west by county line and on the south by land in the warrantee name of Samuel Yorks and by land of Jesse Rhone containing

357 ACRES AND 84 PERCHES,

strict measure. ALSO:—The undivided one half of another tract of timber land situate in Jackson and Sugarloaf twps. in the warrantee name of Wesley Hess, bounded on the west by the above described tract, on the north by lands of Jacob Hess, on the east by Robert Montgomery and others and on the south by lands of David Golder, containing

408 ACRES AND 85 PERCHES,

strict measure. ALSO:—Another timber lot on West Creek Falls in Jackson twp., containing a good mill seat, bounded on the south by land late of Philip Krickbaum, on the west by the same, on the north by land of Jesse Rhone and on the east by land of Elijah Peterman, containing FOUR ACRES, strict measure.

Terms made known on day of sale when and where attendance will be given by the undersigned.
RICHARD KILE, Executor.
Fairmount Springs, Luzerne Co., Pa. feb2?-3w

PUBLIC SALE
OF
VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.
In pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county the undersigned administrators, &c., of Peter Bitner late of the township of Locust, in said county, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 14TH, 1872,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described valuable real estate, to wit:

No. 1. A certain tract of land situate in Locust township in said county, containing

108 ACRES AND 34 PERCHES,

neat measure, adjoining lands of Michael Stine, jr., Edward Strausser, Henry Gable and A. R. Fisher with frame and barn and other farm buildings thereon erected.

No. 2. A tract of land situate in the township and county aforesaid, containing

FORTY-THREE ACRES

and 125 perches, neat measure, adjoining lands of Michael Stine, Joseph Billig and other lands of said deceased, with good buildings thereon erected.

No. 3. A tract of land situate in the township and county aforesaid, containing

38 ACRES AND 92 PERCHES,

neat measure, adjoining lands of Joseph Billig, John Billig, sr., Charles Fetterman, David Krischer, Edward Strausser and other lands of said deceased, with good buildings thereon erected.

No. 4. A tract of wood-land situate in the township and county aforesaid, containing

FOUR ACRES & EIGHT PERCHES,

adjoining lands of Robert Watkins and other lands of said deceased.

No. 5. A tract of wood-land situate in the township and county aforesaid, containing

4 ACRES AND 80 PERCHES,

adjoining lands of Kolb & Raab, Robert M. Watkins and other lands of said deceased.

No. 6. A tract of wood-land situate in the township and county aforesaid, containing

4 ACRES AND 120 PERCHES,

adjoining lands of Kolb & Raab and John Morris.

TERMS OF SALE.—Twenty per cent. of one-third of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, the one-third less the twenty per cent. upon the delivery of the possession of the property, one-third of the purchase money in one year from the delivery of the possession with interest from the date of the delivery of the possession and the balance of the purchase money in two years from the delivery of the possession with interest from the date of the delivery of the possession payable annually. Purchaser or purchasers to pay for deed and stamps. The grain in the ground is reserved from this sale, the same to be gathered and threshed on the premises.
GEORGE BITNER, }
JOHN A. BITNER, } Adm'rs.
feb2?72-3w

SHERIFF'S SALE.
By virtue of certain writs of Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Northumberland County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Sunbury, on Monday, March 11th, 1872, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following property, to wit:

All that certain tract, piece or parcel of land situate in Mt. Carmel township, Northumberland County, Pennsylvania, beginning at a chestnut oak, the southeast corner of a tract of land surveyed in the name of William Shannon, on the twenty-second day of October, seventeen hundred and ninety-four, thence by land surveyed to Peter Smith, north eight and one-fourth degrees west, fifty-one and three-tenth perches to a corner of Peter Smith; thence by Peter Smith and Robert Gordon, north eighty-two degrees and thirty-six minutes east, about sixty perches to the line between Northumberland and Columbia counties; thence by the said county line, north eighteen degrees west, through a tract of land surveyed in the name of Lewis Walker, one hundred and seventy perches to a point on the southern line of a tract of land surveyed in the name of Thomas Ruston; thence by the same Thomas Ruston north eighty-eight and one-half degrees west, about thirty perches to a heap of stones, a corner of Thomas Ruston in line of Mary Ruston; thence by the same south two degrees west thirty-three perches to a corner of Mary Ruston; thence by same and Thomas Billington north eighty-eight and one-half degrees west, two hundred and thirty-eight and sixteen one hundredth perches to a point; thence through the said tract of land surveyed in the name of Lewis Walker, at along line westwardly of a tract of land surveyed in the name of Wm. Shannon, south eight and one fourth degrees east two hundred and sixty-two and sixty-five one-hundredth perches to a stone, corner of William Gilbert; thence by William Gilbert north eighty-one and one-half degrees west three hundred and ninety-five perches to the place of beginning; containing by estimation three hundred and five acres more or less, and comprising all of that certain tract of land surveyed to William Shannon on the twenty-second day of October, A. D. one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four, and a part of a tract of land adjoining the same, surveyed in the name of Lewis Walker on the same day. The said tract or parcel of land as levied upon being part of a larger tract or lot of land situate partly in the said township of Mt. Carmel, Northumberland county aforesaid and partly in Roaring Creek township, Columbia county more particularly bound and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post and stones, a corner of land surveyed in the name of Christopher Branham; thence by the same north ten degrees west, one hundred and forty-nine and five-tenth perches to a stone, corner of John Young; thence by the same south eighty-eight and one-half degrees west, two hundred and thirty-eight and sixteen one-hundredth perches to a point; thence south eight and one-fourth degrees east two hundred and thirty-two and thirty-five one-hundredth perches to a stone, corner of William Gilbert; thence by William Gilbert north eighty-one and one-half degrees east, three hundred and ninety-five perches to a corner of William Shannon in the line of Robert Gordon; thence by Robert Gordon north eighty-eight and one-half degrees west, fifty-one and three-tenth perches to a corner of Robert Gordon; thence north eighty-two degrees thirty-six minutes east, four hundred and sixty-one and one-tenth perches by land of Robert Gordon and Andrew Porter to the place of beginning; containing ten hundred and fifty three (1053) acres and twenty-seven (.7) perches of land, embracing all that certain tract of land surveyed to Nathaniel Brown on the twenty first of October seventeen hundred and ninety-four, supposed to contain 300 acres and allowance of six per cent. for roads, &c., and the twenty-sixth day of November A. D. seventeen hundred and ninety-three, and all of that certain other tract of land surveyed to William Shannon on the twenty second day of October seventeen hundred and nine y-four and the larger part of a survey adjoining the same in the name of Lewis Walker surveyed on the twenty-second of October A. D. seventeen hundred and ninety-four, in pursuance of his warrant dated twenty-sixth of November seventeen hundred and ninety-three.

Seized, taken into execution and to be sold as the property of The Columbia Coal Company.
JOHN R. HELLER, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Sunbury, Feb. 9, 1872-3w.

FOR SALE.
The residence late of Charles H. Dobbler, Esq., dec'd, situate on Third Street, in the Town of Bloomsburg, and one of the

MOST DESIRABLE

in the Town; will be offered at private sale. It is a two story frame painted, papered and throughout nice red. If not previously disposed of, it will be exposed to public sale on

SATURDAY, MARCH 16TH, 1872,

at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

TERMS.—Five hundred dollars down, and the balance in yearly payments of one thousand dollars, with interest, well secured.

Application can be made for prior private contract to
E. H. BIGGS,
J. H. PARK,
THOS. S. DOEBLER,
Executors,
or to J. G. Freeze, Williamsport, Pa.
Bloomsburg, Pa. feb2?72-4w

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We now have on hand a large neatly printed assortment of JUSTICE'S and CONSTABLES BLANKS, to which we invite the attention of these officers.

PUBLIC SALE
OF
VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.
The subscriber will offer for sale at his residence in Main Township, Columbia county, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1872,

at 9 o'clock in the forenoon the following personal property, to wit:

FOUR GOOD YOUNG MULES,
THREE DRAFT HORSES,
ONE PACING HORSE,

(can go in three minutes), 2 cows, 1 pig, Harness, two wood sleds, one pair of 2 inch nuts, one pair of Wilson patent fifty stalk cut hay knives, one double set of light harness, one single delly, two saddles and two riding saddles and a lot of other harness, two log bed wagons, one low wagon,

ONE TWO-HORSE IRON AXLE WAGON,

nearly new, one two-horse wagon bed, one large hoss wagon bed, one coal bed, two pair of ox sleds, with boxes nearly new, one fancy sleigh, one sulkey, one light spring wagon, wheelbarrows, log chains, rough tools, rope and tackle, one young Durham cow and calf, one common cow, one pair of chester white breeding hogs, a lot of carpenters tools, table of shovels, hoes, picks, one cross cut saw, bees and bee hives, robes, blankets, desk, bureau, table, and a lot of things not mentioned.
W. T. SHUMAN.
Maine twp., Feb. 9, 1871. feb23-4t

PUBLIC SALE
OF
VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.
The subscribers will offer for sale in Bucksborn, at the residence of Jacob Harris, deceased, late of Hemlock township, Columbia county, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1872

at 9 o'clock a. m., the following personal property, to wit:

THREE HORSES,

one cow and calf, one breed sow, one lot of shoats; 1,000 bushels corn ears; 300 bushels potatoes; 30 bushels oats; 10 bushels wheat; 25 bushels rye; 20 tons timothy hay; one Excelsior reaper, one threshing machine (new two-horse wagon, one three-horse wagon, one truck wagon, one buggy, one sulkey, two sleds, one hay press, three wind mills, one grain drill, one sorgum mill and evaporating pans complete, two 8 inch bay forks, one post hoeing machine, one shingle mill, one set blacksmith tools, two new carpenters' benches, single and double harness, cultivators, plows, harrows, Excelsior hay rake.

THREE DOUBLE-BARRELED SHOT GUNS,

(new.) two single barreled shot guns; 25 acres of wheat in the ground; six acres of rye in the ground, together with many other articles too tedious to mention.

TERMS will be made known on the day of sale, and due attendance given by
WILLIAM HARRIS, } Admrs. of
and } Jacob Harris, dec'd
JAS. A. HARRIS, }
JACOB SHELHART, Auctioneer.
Bucksborn, Feb. 19, 1872-3t

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCES
OF THE
COUNTY OF COLUMBIA.
From January 1, 1871 to January 1, 1872.

DAVID LOWENSBERG, Esq., Treasurer of Columbia county, in account with said county, for county purposes, for 1871.

Jan.	To am't outstanding for 1870 &c.	$11,062 88
"	" " " " " "	87 40
June	" " county tax assd. for '71	22,827 33

TO TAX ON SEATED AND UNSEATED LAND RETURNED.

Names.	Districts.	County.	School.	Road.	Poor.	Bounty.
M. Downs,	Beaver					
J. Harrigs,	"	30	30	1.00	23	
A. Colley,	Benton	3.01	2.60		1.09	
J. Hine,	Centralia	1.10				
F. Wirbley,	"	1.54			1.10	55
C. Dougherty,	Conyngham	40				
L. M. C. & I. Co.	"	18.53				
D. Lenthan,	"	60				
McMannon	"	60				
G. & J. Beyer,	Locust	60				
H. B. Angle,	Mifflin	34	11	15	7	
D. Hubach,	Jamison	55	62	30	30	
L. Simons	Pine	20	60		40	
J. Wirbley,	R. Creek	1.75				
J. Watts,	G. Wood	1.56				
		$ 9.18	6.27	1.15	3.94	55

Making a total of $21 64

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS.

To interest and cost, Jacob Bechtel, Collector of Madison, 1868,	$21 18
To Thomas Adams, P. O. Briar Creek	45 00
" J. R. Moyer, wobbling sold him,	50
" O. H. Ritchey, P. O. Berwick for keeping David Shoyder in County Jail,	51 50
To Thomas Adams, P. O. Briar Creek	42 35
" N. Miller, additional Tax, Main, 1870,	1 45
" Wm. Neal, wood sold him,	50
" Thomas Adams, P. O. Briar Creek,	39 55
" " " " " "	42 25
" Philip Kramer, chandelier sold (old one)	15 00
" Sam'l Rishton, damage,	8 00
" J. R. Yohe, old plank from Yohe bridge Mifflin,	1 00
To Thomas Adams, P. O. Briar Creek,	41 05
" W. H. Entz's "last tile" jury fees,	33 00
" Timothy Thom is cost due county, commissioner's fees,	7 78
To J. K. Sny

THE COLUMBIAN.

Bloomsburg, Friday, Feb. 23, 1872.

FRANK COOLEY,
ASSISTANT EDITOR.

Railroad Time Table.

LACKAWANNA & BLOOMSBURG R. R.

	North.	South.
Mail	10:31 A. M.	3:10 P. M.
Accommodation	4:15 A. M.	10:30 P. M.
Passenger	8:25 P. M.	9:2 A. M

CATAWISSA R. R. FROM RUPERT STATION.

Going North.	Going South.
4:08 P. M.	11:14 A. M.

LOCAL.

THE Committee on the M'Clure—Gray contested election case, has at length been drawn. It consists of four Democrats and three Republicans. Mr. Buckalew is Chairman.

LAST week the Rev. Mr. Hewitt received satisfaction for his horse from Mr. McKinney in the sum of $150.

MUNCY township has a colored man for Justice of the Peace and one for Constable.

JUDGE ELWELL has been absent this week in Lewisburg, holding court for Judge Bucher.

THE pressure upon our advertising columns this week has crowded out much that we intended to publish.

Mr. Wesley Wirt has purchased the house and lot, opposite Risewick's stable, now occupied by B. Stohner.

WE call attention to the advertisement of the sale of the residence of C. H. Doebler, to be found in another column.

The U. S. Senate was not in session on Saturday. In the House, nothing was done except the reading or filing of a few speeches for publication in the Congressional Globe.

THE very latest items of the fashionable world which we have seen, are, that kid gloves are now worn with as many as eighteen buttons and that gold bracelets two and three inches wide are just now "the rage."

SOME cynic, not having the wrath of woman properly in view, says that "girls know too much at fifteen and not enough at fifty." To avoid feminine objurgation we would state that we are not acquainted with the author and that no information as to his whereabouts can be obtained at this office.

The singular disease now prevailing in Harrisburg has not yet abated. Senator Knight is still very ill in consequence of it, and about twenty members of the House are so unwell as to be compelled to remain at home. All those who remain are more or less afflicted.

IN response to an inquiry as to whether it is unlawful to pass gold coins of the denomination of one-half of a dollar, the United States Treasurer says that the law does not provide for the coinage of coins of those denominations by the United States, nor contain any provision as to the lawfulness or otherwise of passing them.

THE prognosticators of evil and the constitutionally timid persons who live on the banks of the susquehanna, are disquieting themselves over the probabilities of a flood. This prophesying we believe is of regular semi-annual occurrence, being in order in the Spring and Fall of each year, knowing which we possess our souls in peace and await the future with all calmness.

WE deem it our duty to apprise our readers of the appearance of all frauds which may tend to deplete their purses, hence we desire to announce that a very well executed counterfeit $2 bank bill, difficult to detect, is in circulation. Counterfeits of $50 notes do not offer a large number of persons, but $2 imitations may come into the possession of very many—we occasionally have bills of that size ourselves.

THE Postmaster-General has issued a circular notice to all postmasters, asking the public to superscribe the county, as well as the post office and State, upon all letters, circulars, newspapers, and other matter to be forwarded by mail. This is important in view of the great increase of new post offices, and will, if complied with by the public, facilitate the separation and the distribution of the mails, and avoid various delays.

Next Tuesday will be the last day for taking stock in the "Benton Mutual Saving Fund and Loan Association" at the original cost $4.00 per share. After that time the premium will be charged making the cost nearly double. Persons in town taking stock can if they desire, leave their subscriptions at the office of E. H. Little one of the Directors, on or before next Monday, and monthly thereafter on the Monday preceding the last Tuesday in each month.

Henry J. Tuttle, a brakeman on the L. & B. R. R. met with a frightful death on Thursday of last week, a short distance below Catawissa. Whilst engaged in his duties on top of the car he did not notice the near approach of the train to Ammerman's bridge. He was struck by the bridge and hurled to the ground horribly mangled. Both arms were cut off, his legs broken and his body crushed and torn. He lived, we are informed, at Plymouth.

THE Commissioners have awarded a contract for erecting a bridge at Millville and one at Centreville to the King Bridge Co., of Ohio. The bridges are to be of wrought iron, the one at Millville to be of 66 feet span and 12 feet in width; Centreville bridge to have 55 feet span and to be 15 wide. The contract price is $1600 for the two; the commissioners to furnish the necessary stone abutments. These are the first iron bridges ever erected in this county by the commissioners, although the canal company have long had them in use, and they will be closely watched in order to determine their serviceability and durability. They are warranted to bear a strain of two tons to the lineal foot. The necessity for a bridge at Centreville was urgent and the commissioners decided to build both bridges of iron on the grounds of cheapness and more speedy erection. The Centreville bridge is to be finished by the 10th of April next and the Millville bridge by the 1st of September, or sooner if the abutments are ready to receive the superstructure.

THE Bloomsburg mails are frequently diverted from their course and sent to the town of Blossburg, and those of Blossburg brought here. This transposition has occurred so often and has proved such a source of annoyance that it is full time a stop was put to it. If the mail agents having charge of the matter cannot read, the Post-office Department should furnish them with assistants who can.

IT is astonishing, in view of the great number of deaths caused by the use of coal oil in building fires, that women should persist in so dangerous a practice. Yet the newspapers chronicle as many as ever, and it is evident that not even the risk of a most painful death weighs against the saving of a few moments of time. It might be well to have an enactment of the legislature making it a misdemeanor, punishable with fine and imprisonment, to risk life by so foolhardy a practice. Such a law would doubtless save some women and much property.

ON Saturday morning last at an early hour the Normal School bell sounded a fire alarm and in a short time a goodly number of our citizens were on the ground. It was found that the fire originated from a flue, which was in too close proximity to the wood work. It was necessary to cut a hole through the floor to reach the flames. The damage was slight. It is fortunate that it was discovered in time as nothing could have saved the building had the fire once obtained full headway.* Bloomsburg has no water supply for extinguishing conflagrations.

THERE are many sidewalks in town which give evidence of proving nearly impassable in the Spring if not attended to. Conspicuously bad is the sidewalk on Iron street from Main to Rock streets. We would at the same time beg of the Town Council to seriously consider the question of so raising the Main street crossings at Market street as to do away with the mud hole which it is now necessary to wade through, in going to and from the Post Office. The mud is a cause of injury to clothes and boots and is provocative of an amount of profane and emphatic denunciation which it is painful to hear and impossible to record. Remedy this annoyance oh! Town Fathers and your petitioners will ever pray, &c., otherwise they will not.

As a general thing, we read too much, and think about what we read too little; the consequence is, that most of the people we meet know something in a superficial way about almost everything, and very little in a thorough way about anything. Not a tenth part of what is read is remembered for a month after the book, magazine, or newspaper is laid aside. Daniel Webster, who had a rich store of information on almost every subject of general interest, on being asked how he could remember so accurately, replied that it had been his habit for years to reflect a short time on what he read, and so fix all the facts and ideas worth remembering in his mind.

WE have received, under the frank of Benj. F. Butler, a pamphlet of some thirty pages containing a memorial of Elizabeth Cady Stanton and other "woman right-ers" together with their arguments before the Judiciary Committee of the U. S. Senate, with the request that we publish the same. This we emphatically decline to do. Were we in favor of woman suffrage, which we are not, the promise of Susan B. Anthony, in the pamphlet, that women if allowed to vote would exert their influence in behalf of the Republican party, would in itself be sufficient to justify us in refusing to publish the document. Politics are in a bad enough condition now, and Stanton, Anthony, et. al., would further muddle them.

THE question of compulsory education is engaging the attention of the public, both in an educational and a moral point of view. In the country as well as in the cities there are many children who are growing up in ignorance and without restraint, making pests of society and subjects for our prisons. How this evil is to be remedied has not been determined. Recently, as one step forward, the names of the good boys and good girls whose school record shows the greatest attendance have been published as an example for others. This is all very well, but children who have rich parents, good roads and but a short distance to travel to the school house do not encounter many difficulties in showing a record of attendance. Let the picture be reversed: publish the names of the parents or guardians who send children for six months show the poorest attendance, and the finger of public reproach might establish a different school record. Don't publish the names of the scholars, because in very many instances it is not their fault. Publish the names of the parents, and let us see who they are and what excuse they have for neglecting their duties toward those placed under their charge.

EXERCISE.—Give children an abundance of outdoor exercise, fun and frolic; make them regular in their habits, and feed them only upon plain, nourishing food, and they will seldom, if ever, complain of a lack of appetite. But keep them over-tasked in school, confined closely to the house the rest of the time, frowning down every attempt at play; feed them upon rich or high-seasoned food, candies, nuts, ect., allow them to eat between meals and late in the evening, and you need not expect them to have good appetites. On the contrary, you may expect they will be pale, weak, and sickly. Don't cram them with food when they don't want, or have no appetite for it—such a course is slow murder. If they have no appetites encourage, and, if need be, command them to take exercise in the open air. Don't allow them to study too much, and especially keep them from reading the exciting light literature which so much abounds in our book stores and circulating libraries. In addition to securing exercise for the children as above, change their diet somewhat; especially if they have been eating fine flour, change to coarse or Graham flour. Sickness is the most expensive nuisance on the face of the globe. There may be instances where it makes people or children better, but generally it makes them selfish, sad, misanthropic, nervous, mean and miserable. The best way to make children happy and good is to keep them well.—*Boston Journal of Chemistry.*

MR. LOUIS BERNHARD is certainly a very fortunate man. He was robbed of a whole box full of watches not very long ago, and afterwards had them all returned with the exception of three. This was above the luck of an ordinary mortal, but there was more to come. On Tuesday last he found in front of his house one of the three watches neatly wrapped in paper and in good condition. After this we should not be surprised to hear that the missing two watches were restored with a note of apology from the temporary possessor and perhaps an offer to pay any expenses which may have accrued from the larceny.

STAMPS ON LEASES.—As the time for renewal of leases, and of the execution of new agreements between landlord and tenant is near at hand, the decision of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, as to whether the provision of law imposing a stamp duty on leases should be enforced in regard to stamping duplicate copies, usually furnished the lessee, is not only interesting but important to all. He decides that when an instrument is executed and in duplicate, triplicate, etc, each in the case of a lease of two or more parts, each part has the same legal effect as the other, and each should be stamped as an original. When parties mark executed duplicates or counterparts "copies," it does not make them mere copies, or relieve them from duty as originals.

No blister draws sharper than the interest does. Of all industries, none is comparable to that of interest. It works all day and night, in fair weather and foul. It has no sound in its footsteps, but travels fast. It gnaws at a man's substance with invisible teeth. It binds industry with as fine, as a fly is bound in a spider's web. Deb rolls a man over and over, binding hand and foot, and letting him hang upon the fatal mesh until the long-legged interest devours him. There is but one thing on a farm like it, and that is the Canada thistle, which swarms new plants every time you break its roots, whose blossoms are prolific, and every flower the father of a million seeds. Every leaf is an awl, every branch a spear, and every plant like a platoon of bayonets, and a field of them like an armed host. The whole plant is a torment and vegetable curse. And yet a farmer had better make his bed of Canada thistles than be at ease upon interest.

PROMISSORY NOTES.—We came across the following in an exchange, which might be regarded with profit by our business men. 'A man drew a note promising to pay one hundred dollars. He used a printed form, but did not close up the blank devoted to dollars, and after it passed from his hands and became a negotiable paper, somebody inserted "and fifty" after the one hundred and before the printed word 'dollars,' making the note read one "hundred and fifty dollars". The note thus altered got into the hands of an innocent party, who presented it to the drawer, but payment was refused. Suit was brought, and the Supreme Court decided that the maker of the note was liable for its face, because through negligence he had not drawn a line between the written word 'hundred' and the printed word 'dollars.' Any testimony that the drawer might offer to establish the fact that he gave a note for only one hundred dollars must go for nothing, as "there was nothing on the face of the note showing that it had been altered." Evidence of an alteration of the face of the note would have changed the case. Let this decision be a lesson to all drawers of promissory notes. No one can be too careful in such matters.

AT the last term, the Court intimated a matter of criminal practice which it would be well for officers to notice. Where a special warrant is issued for the apprehension of offenders, they must be brought before the justice who issued the warrant. When the warrant is general the constable can take his prisoners before any convenient justice whom the *constable*, not the prisoner, may select, and the prisoner is entitled to a hearing by the justice before whom the warrant is returned, if he desires it, or may be bound to appear at court.

Heretofore the *prisoner* has been accustomed to select the justice before whom he would appear, on a general warrant; but that is not legally allowable, and it would seem therefore that the constable more specifically performs his duty by returning the prisoner with the warrant to the justice who issued the writ. And for the reason, also, that there the prosecutor is expected to be with his witnesses, ready to testify on the hearing. If, however, the defendant waives a hearing, and chooses to be bound to appear at court, then the nearest justice would seem to be most convenient. The question being only as to the amount of bail, $50"

Court Proceedings.

FEBRUARY 17, 1872.

The court met pursuant to adjournment, his Honor Judge Elwell on the bench.

In the matter of the estate of George Rupp, the report of auditor was referred back for correction and amendment.

Petition for sale of real estate of Henry Mather, dec'd. Sale ordered.

Petition of Martha Elizabeth Arthur for guardian. John K Grotz appointed.

Petition for sale of real estate of Geo. M. Beagle, deceased, sale ordered.

Petition of minor children of Geo. M. Beagle, deceased, for guardian, Mathias Whitenight appointed.

J. J. Richardson & Co., vs. Eckert Jacobs with notice to Henry Rosenstock, garnishee. Rule granted to show cause.

Petition of the Deposit and Savings Bank of Catawissa, to change the name to Catawissa Deposit Bank. Publication ordered.

On motion of C. B. Brockway appointment of viewers of bridge over Roaringcreek continued.

Review of road in Madison township ordered.

Petition of Phoebe E. Thomas for divorce, subpœna ordered.

Wm. T. Shuman vs. D. H. & W. R. R. Co. Report set aside with leave to have viewers appointed upon the original petition on notice to the R. R. Co.

The report of viewers of Fourth street, Bloomsburg, referred back with instructions to reconsider the claim of Jesse Coleman for damages and if they see cause to add to his damages they are at liberty to so change their report, otherwise to report that they see no cause to change the same.

ECCENTRIC legislation is not scarce in these days but the proposition of the temperance convention in Boston, lately, is perhaps more than usually out of the line. This body proposes a legislative enactment, which would virtually abolish trial by jury. It is, that neither those who sell nor those who drink liquor even in moderation shall be eligible to serve on juries. Of course the busy man, or the lazy, would exempt himself from the duties of a jury by the absorption of a certain amount of stimulating fluid and as juries decreased so would gin much more abound. An amendment to this resolution, forbidding all judges from holding court, who had ever taken a drink, would reduce legal business to a strictly moral minimum and delight both temperance reformers and retail liquor dealers. In the case of "Gin vs Jury" the odds might safely be offered on the plaintiff.

Resolutions

Adopted by the members of the U. S. School of Orangeville, February 18, 1872.

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God, in his all-wise providence to remove from our midst our beloved friend and class mate, David I. Wertman, therefore be it

Resolved, That while we meekly submit and humbly bow with resignation to His will we must acknowledge that that His goodness and mercy is best finding out.

Resolved, That although our brother is no more with us to teach by his exemplary life, yet we rejoice to know that "our loss is his gain" and we have reason to believe that he is safe in the bosom of his Father.

Resolved, That while we deeply sympathize with his mourning friends and acquaintances, we look to God as the giver of all good for strength and support in this our sore affliction.

Resolved, That we accept his God as our God that when we shall come to cross the Jordan of Death we may say as did our brother:

"Jesus lover of my soul,
Let me to thy bosom fly."

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be furnished the family of the deceased and published in the county papers.

J. M. HARMAN,
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SPECIAL NOTICES.

WANTED.—A good, stout boy to learn the trade of carpenter.
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THE latest and best books issued can be found at the Circulating Library. Young people and old can suit themselves. All styles of literature from metaphysics to primers to be had as soon as published.

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You can buy a splendid platform spring wagon of Low & Robbins of Orangeville for $110.

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I. W. HARTMAN, has commenced getting in his early spring stock.

If Congress had employed as much scientific skill in the arrangement of its "Reconstruction Policy" at the close, as the War Department did in the beginning of the war, in arranging for the manufacture of what was called *Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders* for the use of the Cavalry horses, no doubt the Union would have been restored long ago.—*Exchange.*

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We understand that the whooping-cough is quite prevalent in the towns around us; but that no cases have proved fatal. Some families use nothing but *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.* Our Doctor, however, says a little ipecac, to produce vomiting, would be an advantage.

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There are more than one thousand different kinds of pills in the United States. Some of them are worthless and injurious, others are good and beneficial. Old Dr. Parson invented the best and best pills we ever saw or heard of. They are now sold under the name of Parson's Purgative Pills.

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PERSONAL PROPERTY.

William Miller, Franklin township, February 27th.

Stephen Pettit, Mifflin township, February 29th.

N. S. Crites, Main township, February 29th.

Peter Andes, Jr., Hemlock township, February 29th.

John Scott, Catawissa township, March 2d.

John D. Essick, White Hall, March, 6th.

John Turner, Catawissa township, March 7th.

David Walter, Scott township, March 7th.

A. S. Knittle, Locust twp., March 11.

Charles Gearhart, Mifflin township, March 12th.

Estate of Jacob Harris, Buck Horn, March 14th.

W. T. Shuman, Main twp., March 14.

Thomas Hower, Franklin township, March 20th.

REAL ESTATE.

Estate of John Yeager, Jr. Locust township, March 9th.

Estate of Peter Bitner, Locust twp., March 14th.

Estate of W. H. Eat, Bloom, March 16th.

Estate of C. H. Doebler, Bloom, March 16th.

Estate of John Kile, Jr. Sugarloaf township, March 30th.

MARRIAGES.

SMITH—GOOD—At Wilkes-Barre, on the 15th inst., by the Rev. F. Hodge, Mr. W. W. Smith, to Miss Olivia H. Good, both of Stockton, Snyder county, Pa.

HARPE—BRUMSTELER—On the 15th inst., by the Rev. H. Wilson, Mr. John L. Harpe, to Miss Salue J. Brumsteller, both of Millville, Pa.

STAHL—COPE—On the same day, by the same, Mr. Jonathan Stahl, to Miss Mary Ellen Cope, both of Mooresburg, Pa.

SMITH—HARTMAN—On the 15th, at the bride's residence, by Rev. J. Benson Akers, A. M., Principal of Catawissa Seminary, Mr. J. M. Smith, to Miss Jennie, daughter of the late Moses Hartman, Esq. All of Catawissa.

LOREMAN—OSMUN—On the same day, by the same, Mr. Daniel Loreman to Miss Mary E. Osman, both of Franklin township, Columbia county.

WIER—THOMAS—On Tuesday 20th inst., by the Rev. E. J. Waller, Mr. H. M. Wier, of Cambridge, Ill., to Miss Josephine T., daughter of C. J. Thomas of this place.

McHENRY—MOORE—On the 8th inst., by the Rev. B. P. King, Mr. J. B. McHenry, to Miss Matie Moore, both of Cambra Luz, Pa.

DEATHS.

DOEBLER—In Bloomsburg, on Thursday evening, 15th inst., Charles H. Doebler, Esq., aged 73 years, 3 months and 13 days.

Mr. Doebler was born in the city of Philadelphia on the 28th of October, 1798. He came to Bloomsburg in the year 1818 and, except a comparatively short residence in Williamsport, has always been, and recognized as, one of the most active and energetic citizens of our county—known and respected by all. He was buried on the 18th with the solemn and beautiful services of the Episcopal Church.

MARKET REPORTS.

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Wheat per bushel	$1.40
Rye "	80
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Flaxseed	1 75
Butter	35
Eggs	25
Tallow	10
Potatoes	50
Dried Apples	10
Hams	17
Sides and Shoulders	15
Lard per pound	16
Hay per ton	25 00

New Advertisements.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
ESTATE OF CHARLES H DOEBLER, DEC'D.
Letters testamentary on the estate of Chas. H. Doebler, late of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, dec'd, have been granted by the Register of said county to Mary Doebler, of Bloomsburg and Jno. H. H. Park, Thos. S. Doebler and E. H. Riggs, of Williamsport, Pa. All persons having claims against the estate are requested to present them to the Executors. Those indebted to the estate either on note, judgment, mortgage or book account will make payment to the Executors without delay.
MARY DOEBLER, Bloomsburg, Pa.
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Legal Notices.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.
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The undersigned, Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia County to distribute the funds in the hands of the executors of Andrew Larish, late of said county, deceased, will proceed to the discharge of the duties of his appointment on FRIDAY, the 15th day of MARCH A. D. 1872, at ten o'clock a. m., at the office of the Sheriff, in the Court House in Bloomsburg, when and where all persons interested may attend if they think proper.
W. WIRT, Auditor.
Feb. 14, 1872-4t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
ESTATE OF HIRAM BAKER, DEC'D.
Letters of Administration, on the estate of Hiram Baker, late of Jackson township, Columbia county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to Joshua Fritz, of same place. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned, administrator, without delay.
JOSHUA FRITZ,
jan2672-6w Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
ESTATE OF PHILIP MILLER, DEC'D.
Letters of administration on the estate of Philip Miller, late of Centre twp., Columbia county dec'd., have been granted by the Register of said county, to Benjamin Miller, of Espy, Col. co., Pa., and Abraham K. Shuman, of Lime Ridge, Col. co., Pa. All persons having claims or demands against the decedent are requested to make them known and those indebted to make payment.
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ABR'M. K. SHUMAN,
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
ESTATE OF GEO. M. BEAGLE, DEC'D.
Letters of administration on the estate of Geo. M. Beagle, late of Hemlock township, Columbia county, dec'd., have been granted by the Register of said county to S. H. Miller, of Bloom twp., Columbia county, Pa. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned, administrator, without delay.
S. H. MILLER,
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DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.
Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between T. P. Swayze and George Kramer, under the firm title of Swayze & Kramer, at Jones' Mill, Fishingcreek township, was dissolved on January 26, by mutual consent. The books are in the hands of Mr. Kramer to whom all communications should be addressed. Accounts not settled by the 1st of March will be collected according to law.
T. P. SWAYZE.
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The subscriber will offer for sale at his residence in Catawissa township on
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Agricultural.

Breeding Swine.

Pork is low in price just now. There is no doubt of the fact, and many farmers are asking the question, will it pay to feed pigs under the circumstances? To which we answer, it depends upon the price of corn. Pound for pound, pork is as high now as beef, or even mutton, and it certainly costs less to produce pork from good pigs than beef from good cattle. But it does not pay to breed or to feed poor hogs. The hog is a voracious animal, and unless his voracity can be turned to profitable account it is bettter to have nothing to do with him. The great majority of farmers who breed pigs do so without definite aim towards producing a profitable animal. Most of them have got a nondescript sort of stock, of no particular breed, and remarkable only for conbining as many of the bad qualities and as few of the good points as it is possible a hog can have. Having come to him as it were as a legacy, they look upon it as being a bounden duty to perpetuate the race. Yet bad as these hogs are they have two redeeming points. In the first place they are hardy, and have good constitutions; and in the second place they are capable of being rapidly improved at small cost, by crossing them with the modern improved breeds of pure-blooded sorts. Use what breed you will to begin the improvement, if it is only persevered in by those who understand the business, it must result profitably.—*American Rural Home.*

How Should Manure Be Applied.

Observation and experience should determine the mind of the farmer in regard to the best plan of applying manure, whether to plow it under deep, or leave it on the surface. The advocates of surface manuring speak against manure being turned under too deep, while the advocates of deep manuring charge surface manuring with fertilizing the atmosphere. But there is a medium course and each theory is supported by plausible arguments.—However, there are true philosopical principles against burying manure too deeply in the earth. The loss of the saline matter of the manure by solution and infiltration will be great in porous soil, and the evaporation, to which so much loss is attributed by those holding opinions adverse to surface manuring, would be only a small drop in the bucket compared with the loss by solution.

In porous soils it is well known that manure will penetrate to a great depth, and much animal matter may descend beyond the reach of surface growing plants. Humus is formed by the decay and decomposition of vegetable matter, which in the philosophy of nature is manipulated on the surface, hence the rule in the application of manure should be taken from the indication of nature and science. The decay and consumption of one crop for the nourishment of another, and the droppings of animals and defoliation of trees and plants are all left on the surface. This seems to contradict the idea of any loss by evaporation. It will, therefore, be best to adopt the plan of deep cultivation, but to keep the manure and vegetable matter as near the surface as possible. There is always some loss by evaporation, but much less than by infiltration. But it should be a leading idea with farmers to be close observers of such natural operations in the growth of spontaneous and cultivated vegetation, and accommodate their practice so as to imitate nature as near as possible.—*Farm Journal.*

Spoiling Horses' Feet.

It is almost impossible to get horses shod without having the frogs cut away. All veterinary surgeons, all horsemen, all leading blacksmiths, agree that the frog should not be pared one particle—not even trimmed. No matter how parable and soft the frog is, cut it away smooth on all sides, and in two days it will be dry and hard as a chip. You might as well cut off all the leaves of trees, and expect them to flourish, as to pare away the frog and have a healthy foot. The rough, spongy part of the frog is to the foot what leaves are to the tree—lungs.

Never have a red hot shoe put upon the foot to burn it level. If you can find a blacksmith that is mechanic enough to level the foot without red hot iron, employ him. The burning process deadens the hoof and tends to contract it. If you do not think so, try the red hot poker on your finger nail, and see if it will not affect the growth of that.

There are many important points in shoeing horses, but these two are of more importance than all the rest, level to the apprehension of men not skilled in horses, and the two most disregarded.—*Mirror and Farmer.*

Care of Implements.

There is probably no text on which more preaching is done by the agricultural press than that which heads this article. And yet farmers are either forgetful of the lesson, or are too careless of their own interests to act upon it. We were especially reminded of this by seeing, in the course of a ride of ninety miles through an average agricultural district, the following tools lying out exposed to the weather, viz: Forty four plows, twenty-three harrows, seven mowers, a reaper with beater and platform as last used, wagons too numerous to count, and, in one instance a set of harness hanging on a fence. The plows were mostly sticking in the furrow where they had been last used. Now, it is natural to suppose that the owners of all these tools and implements never see an agricultural paper, or they could not resist the re-iterated advice to take better care of their property of such a perishable nature. It is safe to say that these tools, kept under cover when not in use, will last more than twice as long as they will when exposed to rain and sun. The loss is thus a serious one, and we regret when we think that we can not reach such farmers by a word of advice.—*American Agriculturalist.*

It is a very good plan every washing day, before the hot suds are thrown out to gather up the tin ware that is in daily use and wash it well with a woolen cloth in the tub or boiler. The brightness thus given to it is nicer than from scouring; besides, the ware is not worn out, and the seams about the handles and spouts can be made very clean. With careful usage, tin and brittannia ware need not wear out or fall into disuse, hardly in one's life time. All such ware should be made dry about he kitchen stove before it is put away.

Young Folks.

A True Story with a Fairy in it.

BY CLIO STANLEY.

"O Granny, if I had but one little piece of all this treasure, what a glad girl I should be!"

Little Rose Dibble stood at the corner of two streets, holding fast to her grandmother's hand, while she gazed with wide open eyes into a window rich with gold and silver ware, which seemed to her an inexhaustible mine of wealth.

It was a dreary night in December, and the chilly wind, carrying the snowflakes hither and thither, blew her hair in golden tangles all about her little white face.

"You will never have that, Rosie," through me."

When her grandmother said that, Rosie hastened her steps, holding her breath as she passed by the beautiful windows; for the breath that came over her pale little lips was the breath of desire, so hard for a child to control.

She did not seem to feel the cold that night, perhaps because the wind of adversity had been blowing cold upon her young life ever since she could remember. And just then, too, her heart was so warm with the fire of sweet fancies!

But the heart in Rosie's body was a tender one, and at the shiver which ran through her grand mother's frame, she tightened her hold on her withered hand, hurrying more swiftly along the snowy foot path.

They were soon out of the city, the snow like cloud about them, the brigh t lights fading like a dream in the distance, and their home, poor and cheerless though it was, a friendly sight.

They reached the door and went in. It was but a poor shelter against the bitter storm, the two little rooms in the midst of the wide desolate common; but Rosie barred the door, lighted a fire of sticks, and put a new candle in the iron candlestick; then she crept close to her grandmother's feet before the fire.

Her grandmother was the only friend Rosie had in the world, and Rosie was the one treasure her grandmother had left, so that the love they gave each other was undivided.

"Aren't you going to get to bed, Rosie," her grandmother asked, at length, "while the room is warm? May be you'll have happy dreams before the dawn."

"No," said Rosie, shaking her head till the curls tumbled about her face again; "you must tell me a story first. Let it be of the summer-time you used to know when you were little like me."

"Little like you! Ah, Rosie, child, that was such a long, long time ago that it makes me dizzy to look back to it! But I dream sometimes of a brighter summer-time, when I shall leave this worn out house, drop off these wrinkles and gray hairs, and be at home in pleasand gardens with the river of life flowing through."

Rosie looked up in amazement as the dear voice dropped into silence; but there was a smile on the wrinkled face, and a glow, like that of the morning, over the gray pallor of the sunken cheeks.

"Ah," thought Rosie, to herself, "If I might only get there too, where it is always summer!" And she shivered, for the sticks had burned out, and the coals were burning to ashes.

But there was a tiny glow in one corner of the hearthstone, and, almost as if her thought had answered itself, a low voice like music rose from the midst of the ashes.

Rosie looked again, rubbing her eyes to be sure she was awake, and there, before her, in plain sight, was the prettiest little creature your bright fancy can paint. She blue hadeyes, and a golden halo about her head; so that Rosie could not tell where the gold of her hair faded into the gold of the atmosphere which surrounded her.

"How came you here?" asked Rosie, softly.

"All her lifetime I have lived in your good grandmother's heart," said the dear little fairy, in her musical voice. "Now the spark of her life is gone out, and I am waiting to know if you will let me stay with you."

"But who are you?" cried Rosie, in amazement.

"You wished but a minute ago," continued the fairy, "that you could go where your grandmother is gone. I am the Fairy of Kind Words and Generous Deeds and if you take me into your heart, I can show you the way, and help you to get there."

"I will," cried Rosie, with a sudden sweet resolution.

And then, somehow, before she knew it, in some mysterious way the door of her heart swung open, and the beautiful fairy slipped in.

Rosie felt her heart grow warm and satisfied, and hiding her sleepy eyes on her grandmother's cold knees, she fell asleep, while the candle, too, burned down to a little spark and went out.

In the morning, a rich lady was riding by in her sleigh, all covered with soft fur robes, and discovered little Rose through the half-open door which the wind had torn from its fastenings.

Moved with pity, she took her to her own luxurious home, which was bright with everything but children's faces, adopting her for her own little daughter. There the fairy stayed with little Rose Dibble, until she, too, grew old. She heeded all the wise fairy's monitions, dealing out bountifully the comforts which had so strangely come to her, to the poor and unfortunate for miles around so that every voice lifted as she went by called her blessed; and every step she took was a step towards that beautiful summerland, where her dear old grandmother had gone.

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"Indeed!" interrupted the hare. "Ha! now I can understand why we hares are so terribly afraid of the dogs."

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The essential thing to be done in curing Consumption is to get up a good appetite and a good digestion, so that the body will grow in flesh and get strong. If a person has diseased lungs,—a cavity or abscess there,—the cavity cannot heal, the diseased matter cannot ripen, so long as the system is below par. What is necessary to cure is a new order of things,—a good appetite, a good nutrition, the body to grow in flesh and get fat; then Nature is helped, the cavities will heal, the matter will ripen and be thrown off in large quantities, and the person regain strength. This is the true and only plan to cure Consumption, and if a person is very bad, if the lungs are not entirely destroyed, or even if one lung is entirely gone, if there is enough vitality left in the other to feed up, there is hope.

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